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Applicant : Feng-Nien Ko et al.

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Title : ANTI-ULCER PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION AND THE PREPARATION THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE

In response to the action dated March 16, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

a' *Sub B1*
1. (Amended) A pharmaceutical composition for preventing or treating peptic ulcer, consisting essentially of:

- (i) an American ginseng extract in an amount effective for preventing or treating peptic ulcer; and
- (ii) a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Please cancel claim 2.

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